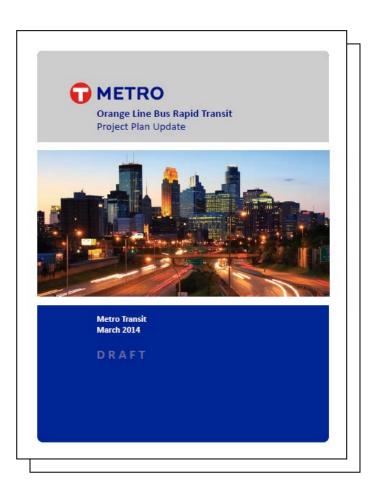


#### **Draft Project Plan Update**

- Project Plan Update draft
  - Defines scope of Orange Line project
    - Mode, stations, ROW, costs, etc.
  - Refinement of LPA adopted in 2004, 2009
- Feeds into Orange Line Environmental Process
- Basis for FTA Application





#### **Review Schedule**

Orange Line TAC reviews/comments	March 31 – April 9
Release for public review/comment	April 11
Public comment period	April 11 – June 1?
Transportation Committee public hearing	Early June
Transportation Committee Recommendation	Late June
Met Council adopts	June/July
Apply to FTA Small Starts	June/July





#### Governance Metropolitan Council **Transportation** Committee **Metro Transit** Leadership **Policy Makers & Funding Partners Public Input** Group (coordinated with 35W Solutions Alliance) • Transit rider surveys • City Councils and Planning Commissions Targeted outreach at major destinations **Orange Line** County Boards General input through mail, phone, • MVTA Board **Technical Advisory** website, social media, and TMOs • I-35W/Lake Policy Makers **Committee (TAC)** • Presence at city and community events • 494 Corridor Commission I-35W/Lake I-494/35W **Metro Transit Vision Layout Transit Access Working Group Project TAC TAC**





# **Red Line/Orange Line Coordination**

Task	Red Line Phase II/ Dakota Co. Lead	Orange Line Phase II/ Metro Transit Lead
Facilities/Service Planning	Focus on extending route, increasing service using Cedar only, by Phase II contract	Conceptual routing evaluation (several routing options)
Conceptual engineering & costs	Completed under Phase II contract	Work-order or staff-led estimates/plans
Ridership forecasting	County contribution to Transit-led forecasting effort, no independent forecasting in Phase II study contract	Lead contract within broader 2014 Small Starts ridership forecast work, include Red Line service plan forecast
Public outreach- AV/Eagan	Independent under Phase II contract	N/A
Public outreach- Burnsville	N/A	Independent with city, structure TBD
Public outreach- Lakeville	Lead Red Line outreach under Phase II contract	Participate in Red Line meetings w/ related materials
Performance measure development	Joint development of performance evaluation measures for service productivity based on TPP, Transitway Guidelines, etc. (DC staff & consultant, Metro Transit BRT and Serv. Dev staff)	
Performance measure application	Apply measures to plan results under Phase II contract	Staff-led application of measures to plan results
Study PAC/Governance	Organize and support Red Line phase II-related tasks under study contract, lead from Dakota Co Staff. Broaden Cedar Group meetings as needed to reflect overlap between county/city participants; anticipated quarterly or as needed.	Participate with Orange Line-related items at joint meetings



### **Burnsville Transit Station: Expanding Transit Capacity**





# **Existing Destinations**













## **Downtown: Seamless Connection to MARQ2**

